

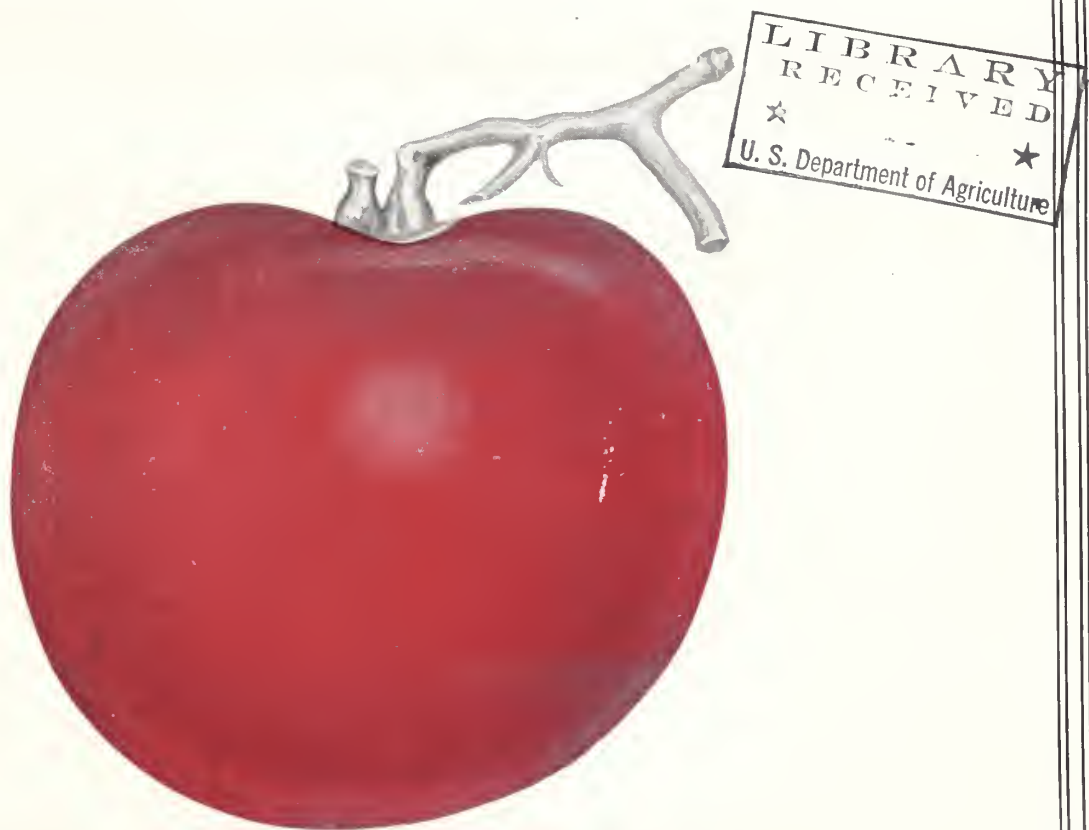
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# CANNERS' PRICE LIST *from* LANDRETH

See inside for what we have to offer as particularly desirable



LANDRETHS' CERTIFIED MARGLOBE TOMATO

## The Oldest Seed House in America

FOUNDED IN 1784, THAT IS 147 YEARS AGO

Of course, the age of the house doesn't "cut any ice" with you, except that it shows that the establishment cannot afford to do anything crooked. It has a reputation to sustain.

Use these Seeds and you will be convinced that none are better, few equal.

We would like to supply you, both for spot and future delivery.

Terms: Net 60 Days, 2% off 10, F. O. B. Bristol, Pa. Carriers at Value

1930 CROP PRICES—DELIVERY 1931

## D. LANDRETH SEED COMPANY

BLOOMSDALE FARMS

JANUARY, 1931

BRISTOL, PENNSYLVANIA

# Landreths' Certified Tomato Seed

This seed was grown by us here at Bristol, Pa., under the supervision and official inspection of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture. We are privileged in being the first seed growers and the only seed growers in the State of Pennsylvania who have had their seeds certified by the Department of Agriculture of the State of Pennsylvania, and are the only ones authorized to sell Pennsylvania certified tomato seed.

This seed is certified as respects excellency of stock, purity of type and freedom from disease. Our supply, of course, is not unlimited, but we can offer until sold out, certified seed of

## MARGLOBE — \$5.50 per lb.

Undoubtedly the best of all recent introductions. It is similar to the Globe but larger, more productive, smooth and red. The perfect Tomato for canning.

## BONNY BEST — \$4.00 per lb.

Early, smooth, red, and productive, a continuous bearer and excellent for canning as an early variety.

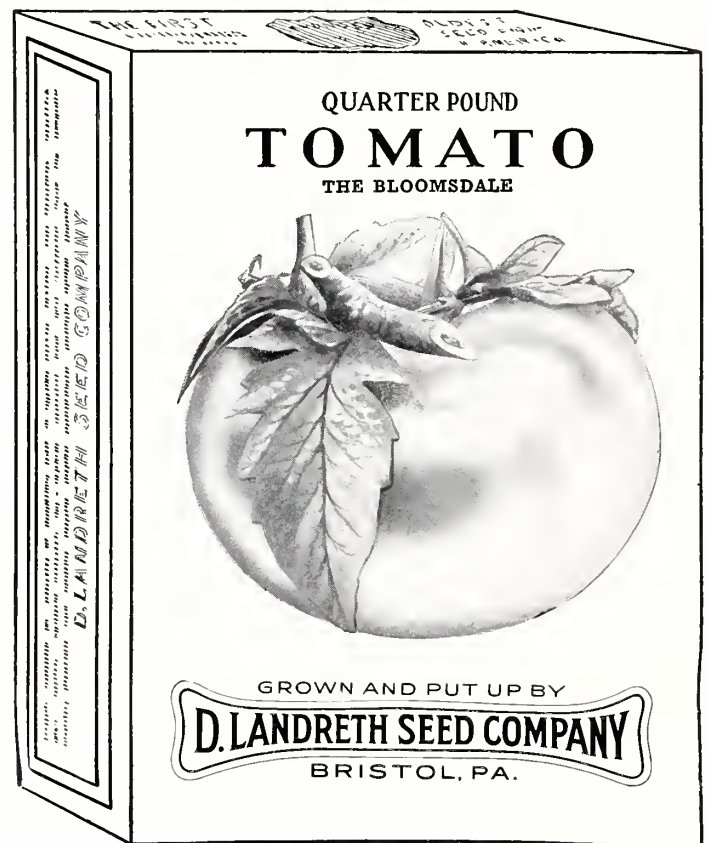
## GREATER BALTIMORE — \$4.00 per lb.

This is a heavy fruit bearing variety, earlier and more productive than Stone. Fruit large, solid, round, red and free from blemishes, an ideal canning variety.

These varieties of certified seed offered are especially suited for the canning trade; they are adapted to all sections of the country. All our tomato seeds are put up in white cardboard, lithographed cartons of  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. with the exception of the three above mentioned varieties, the certified seed, which are put up in blue, cardboard, sealed lithographed cartons of  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$

lbs., bearing the great seal of the State of Pennsylvania.

We hope you will try this certified seed, we know it is unsurpassed, we know you will be more than pleased with it. The price is the last thing to consider in seed, as when one stops to think that a pound of seed will plant from 4 to 6 acres, seed is the most important thing in growing, as one may prepare the soil, give it all the attention necessary, and without one has good seed, the crop will be a failure.



## UNCERTIFIED SEED

The seed which we offer on the next page which is Uncertified, is grown by us in the same way we have grown it for many, many years, from individual plant selection, inspected time after time by our own Inspectors and grown from the same parent stock as the certified seed.

# Canning and Catsup Proprietors TAKE NOTICE

For Descriptions See Our Retail Catalogue Sent with This Price List

If you do not see what you want, write us. If it is a standard variety, no doubt we have it, and perhaps we may have it even if it is not a well-known sort.

We grew here this past season 1930 Crop all the following varieties, the prices named being special to Cannors.

## Prices to Cannors for the Various Sorts of Tomatoes

<i>Varieties</i>	<i>Price per Lb.</i>
Earliana.....	\$2.75
Break O'Day—A New Variety just introduced by Dr. Pritchard.....	15.00
The Landreth—Our Introduction.....	4.50
Chalk's Jewel.....	2.75
John Baer.....	2.75
Bonny Best.....	2.75
Delaware Beauty—Our Introduction.....	3.75
The Bloomsdale—Our Introduction.....	7.50
Landreth Red Rock—Our Introduction.....	3.25
Greater Baltimore.....	2.75
Stone.....	2.50
Matchless.....	2.75
Radibaugh Special. True sort as put out by the Tri State Association.....	2.75
Marglobe. True stock as introduced by Dr. Pritchard of the Dept. of Agricul.....	4.50
Norton.....	4.00

The above prices include putting up in  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. Lithograph Cardboard Sealed Cartons. If wanted in any other size package we charge 1c. per package extra.

Ask for Landreths' Quotations on Seeds for delivery after  
next Crop 1931 is harvested

TOMATO	BEET	CUCUMBER	CABBAGE	PUMPKIN
SQUASH	CAULIFLOWER	SPINACH	OKRA	
BEANS—Dwarf Bush	BEANS—Dwarf Lima	CORN	PEAS	

And other Seeds used by Cannors  
We may have that variety. Write us.



# BEANS



Landreths' Stringless Green Pod

## Green-Podded Bush

**GIANT STRINGLESS.**—Color of seed, yellow. Long, cylindrical pods entirely stringless. Height of vine, 13 to 15 inches. Foliage resembles Full Measure. Not so early by 2 or 3 days as the older Stringless. Pods similar to Stringless but slightly longer and straighter. A more showy pod, about 6 inches long, containing 6 to 7 beans to pod. No stock superior. Sold out.

**REFUGEE STRINGLESS.**—This Bean is vastly superior to the old Refugee or 1000 to 1. It has all its good qualities and in addition is absolutely stringless at all stages of growth. Is practically identical in habits of growth to the 1000 to 1, except the leaves may be slightly more pointed and the foliage a trifle more yellow, six or seven days earlier. A valuable introduction. **15 cents** per pound.

**REFUGEE LATE.**—This Bean in some sections is known as the "1000 to 1," by reason of its prolific character. Round and almost stringless, when young meaty. Vine 14 inches. Pods curved. **13 cents** per pound.

**LANDRETHS' STRINGLESS GREEN PODS**—A Trial Ground selection from the old type of Stringless Green Pods. Color of Seed brown. Vines more erect and with darker foliage and longer Pods than the old type of Stringless; the Pods staying greener longer than the original type. Pods six to eight inches long averaging five to seven Beans to the Pod; absolutely stringless. Pods slightly curved, almost double barreled in shape meaty, and one of the best if not the best on the market for any purpose. We cannot recommend Landreths' Stringless Green Pods too highly. No canner should be without this high class Bean. **14 cents** per pound.

**LOWES CHAMPION.**—Color of seed, crimson, almost round; pods flat, green, stringless, broad almost straight; vine, 11 to 12 inches. **13 cents** per pound.

**FULL MEASURE**—Seed mahogany color. Height of vine, 14 to 16 inches. Foliage slightly larger than Stringless Green Pods, more of a yellowish green. Pods average 6 inches long, more curved than Stringless Green Pods, absolutely stringless, possibly more green in color. Pods not so large in circumference as Stringless Green Pods. Decidedly the best round podded Stringless Bean in existence. Pods contain 6 to 7 beans. **15 cents** per pound.

## Golden Wax Pods

**REFUGEE STRINGLESS WAX.**—A variety not excelled in every good quality. Pods round, crisp, curved, meaty, bone-white, productive. A sort hard to beat. Stringless. **14 cents** per pound.

**ROUND PODDED KIDNEY WAX.**—An improvement on Wardwell's Flat Pod; quite as early, as long and as productive, while more showy and decidedly more luscious because more meaty. The pods are round, full of meat, entirely stringless and very brittle; the color lemon-yellow; the seeds are large and white with purplish eyes when dry. Height 12 inches. **15 cents** per pound.

**WARDWELL'S KIDNEY WAX.**—A long, half-flat golden pod. A very productive sort. Dry seeds, kidney formed, color white with dashes of light purple about a white eye. **14 cents** per pound.

**NEW KIDNEY WAX**—This new introduction is, we believe, one of the best made in recent years, because, while the seed resembles Round Pod Kidney Wax, they are white in color making them desirable for canning. The semi-round straight stringless pods are 6 to 7 inches long, very broad and of good thickness. The vine is hardy and very productive. **16 cents** per pound.



Henderson's

## Bush or Dwarf Limas

**DWARF LIMA, HENDERSON'S.**—This Bean, in three distinct colors, was introduced by us in 1885 before it was given the above name. We called it Dwarf Carolina. Height 1 foot, compact; leaves small, exceedingly dark green; very productive and early. **15 cents** per pound.



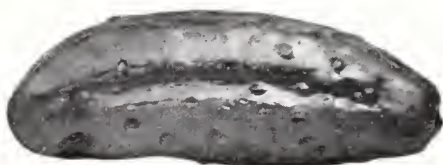
Landreth's Best Beet

## Beet

**LANDRETHS' BEST.**—The same date of maturity as Detroit. In shape and color very attractive; superior to Detroit. Root varying from oval to round, developing unusually early to the perfect form, and mouse-tailed. Flesh solid, deep dark red, but no rings, of excellent quality and sugary. Skin smooth and free from side fibres. In the Landreth's Best we have what has long been looked for—an early oval-shaped root of intensely red color. These qualities have long been demanded by those looking for something superior. Landreth's Best Beet will be found of great superiority by the Beet canning operator when the size is that of a silver dollar. At that early stage they are just perfect in every requirement, and for factory purposes they can be used to the greatest advantage when of that size. Try this variety and you will buy the following year. **\$1.00** per pound.

**DETROIT.**—Oval in form, flesh dark blood, skin smooth, leaves small, erect. Excellent sort. Fine for canning. Before the introduction of the Landreth Best Beet the Detroit was the leading variety, but the Detroit now takes second place. A standard variety, not requiring a description to any experienced canner. **45 cents** per pound.

**CROSBY'S IMPROVED EGYPTIAN.**—A choice form of the Egyptian and consequently very desirable. Rounder in body than the Egyptian, almost as early and in leading demand for early processing at the canning factory. **45 cents** per pound.



Snow's Prolific Pickle

## Cucumber

**SNOW'S PROLIFIC PICKLE.**—In appearance of fruit a variation of the "Short Prolific Pickle," but considerably longer in vine than the "Short Prolific," which was given its name because of its exceed-

ingly short vine. The fruit of the "Snow's Prolific," is more uniformly even in diameter from end to end, small, early, dark green, and both ends blunt. The "Snow's Prolific" has a reputation of being more productive than any of its class. It also has a smaller v-shaped cavity in the centre than other strains of Pickle and therefore is not so spongy and in every way suitable for bottling, consequently, used to a very large extent by the best pickling houses. It is really a famous variety. **50 cents** per pound.

**SHORT PROLIFIC PICKLE.**—An all-green variety with black spines producing a small fruit suitable for pickling in 50 days after the sprouting of the seed. An abundant bearer highly recommended for Pickles for which it is used by many of the most famous pickling establishments. The vines are very short, seldom running over 30 inches from root—hence its name; admitting of planting in rows as close as three feet. In seeding this variety, do not drop the seed in hills, but sow in drills in continuous rows as in the case of Peas. Drill in about one seed to the inch, and when the plants are well established cut them out to three inches apart. **50 cents** per pound.

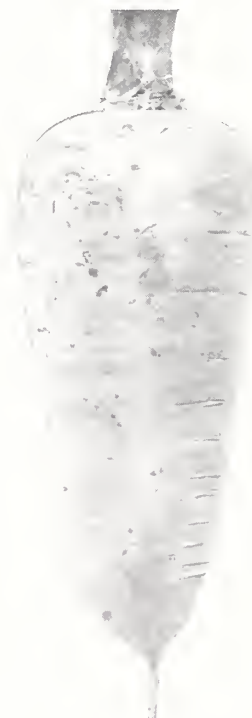
**CHICAGO PICKLING AND BOSTON PICKLING** are almost synonymous. The vines grow to a length of five feet from the hill; the fruit is longer than the Jersey Pickle, but does not hold its color so well. **50 cents** per pound.

**JERSEY PICKLE.**—An all-green, black-spine variety, used very extensively by those who prepare pickles commercially. It is productive and said "to green" better than any other variety and "to hold its color" better than any other variety. Vigorous crops will develop fruit of pickling size, 2 to 3 inches long, in 60 days. **50 cents** per pound.

**EARLY FRAME.**—A leading variety, as it is among the best. Fruit all green, vine vigorous and productive. **50 cents** per pound.

## Carrot

**CHANTENAY HALF-LONG SCARLET OR MODEL.**—Roots about 5 to 6 inches in length, 2 to 2½ inches thick at the crown. Small top set in a slight depression. Color deep orange red. A fine medium early, half long, stump rooted Carrot, free from core. One of the best for canners. **45 cents** per pound.



Chantenay Carrot





All Head

## Cabbage

These Seven Sorts are Valuable for Kraut

**COPENHAGEN MARKET.**—A hard, round head, in maturity following the Charleston Wakefield. Being larger, it produces a greater tonnage per acre and is very profitable. Heads very uniform in size, round, very hard and of long keeping qualities. The plants are very vigorous, short stems, few outer leaves. This variety is gaining in popularity every day. Price per pound **\$5.00**.

**DANISH ROUNDHEAD, SHORT STEM.**—This variety is considered by many superior to the tall stemmed ballhead, having a shorter stem, and a little earlier. It is the more popular now of the two varieties. It produces a very solid, good quality, medium size round head and is very popular with the market gardeners in Cabbage growing districts of northern latitudes. The stock offered here is very hard to equal. Price per pound **\$5.00**.

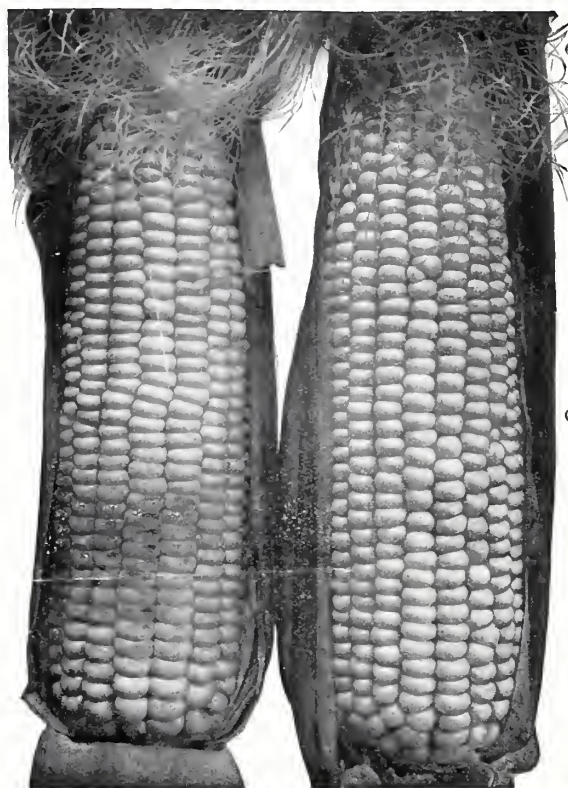
**LANDRETHS' FROST-PROOF LARGE DRUMHEAD.**—A sort which stands out in the open fields of Bloomsdale Seed Farms all Winter without the slightest protection, although the temperature often falls below zero. High cold winds do not kill it, nor does snow or ice. It is by far the hardiest of any Cabbage grown by us, and has proved of exceeding value in localities of variable Winter temperatures, as rapid fluctuations do not hurt it in the least. The Frost-Proof has a short stem and makes a deep blue and wide leaf, which folds over in opposite pairs, making a broad, flat, hard head, all very uniform in size and their period of maturity. This Cabbage we recommend for use in districts where Cabbage cultivators run risks of early and late frost. Price per pound **\$2.50**.

**SUREHEAD.**—A popular strain of the favorite Flat Dutch type of Cabbage so largely grown for Winter use. The heads are large, round, flattened at the top, remarkably uniform, extra hard, firm and fine in texture. An excellent sort and well named. Suitable for the kraut factory. Price per pound **\$2.50**.

**ALL-HEAD.**—Early, large, flat, solid-headed, very early for its size, few outside leaves, consequently can be planted closer together than other large Cabbages. A very reliable sort and well named. One of the very superior Cabbages. Price per pound **\$2.50**.

**ENKHUIZEN GLORY.**—Short stemmed, half round, early for its size, attractive large white heads. In great demand. A most excellent stand-by. Any producer can put his confidence in the Enkhuiizen as a good header and a most valuable Cabbage. Quite similar to All Head. Price per pound **\$5.00**.

**AUTUMN KING.**—Heads broad, flat, heavy; earlier than Late Drumhead and more showy. Stems short, few outside leaves; a remarkably fine sort, very large and attractive. Price per pound **\$2.50**.



Stowell's Evergreen

## Sugar Corn—Shelled

Good Sugar Corn is very short

Specially Selected Stocks

**NARROW GRAIN EVERGREEN.**—This is a very popular variety. The stalk is similar to the Stowell's Evergreen both as to height and amount of fodder produced per acre. It ripens at the same time as Evergreen but the seed is long and narrow, much narrower than the kernel of the Evergreen, not so narrow as Country Gentleman but in between the two. It is not only a narrow grain but a long grain. Corn grown from this makes a fine appearance in the can. This is a very superior strain which we recommend to anyone. **20 cents** per pound.

**COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.**—A medium-stalked, productive sort, Ears large for so small a stalk; grain narrow and very deep or long, afterform of shoe-peg. Highly recommended as one of the very best Sold out.

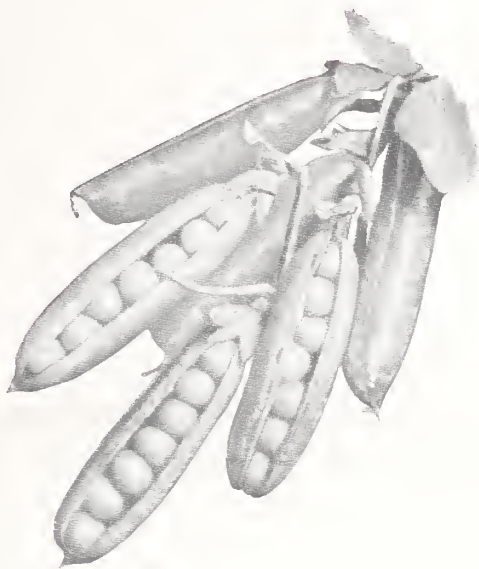
**EVERGREEN (STOWELL'S).**—The most popular among the late Sugar Corns. More bushels are used than all other sorts combined. Has a larger amount of saccharine matter than any other **20 cents** per pound.

**GOLDEN BANTAM.**—Height of stalk about 4½ feet. Grains golden yellow, rather short. Ears about 6 inches long, generally 8 rows. Very hardy. It can be planted earlier in the Spring, in damper soil and colder weather than any other variety of Sugar Corn. Exceedingly sweet. Very productive. When ready for table use, it is a creamy yellow. Very popular everywhere, and growing in popularity every day. **12 cents** per pound.

**EARLY WHITE EVERGREEN SUGAR.**—Very similar in appearance to Stowell's Evergreen; broad, vigorous, deep green foliage without any red color, earlier than Stowell's by several days to produce ears suitable for canning. Ears set low on the stalk, fully as large and grains a purer white than Stowell's. **20 cents** per pound.

**EXTRA EARLY CROSBY SUGAR.**—This variety will produce edible ears in 65 days from germination and is desirable in Northern climates. Fine sort. Sold out.





Alaska

## Peas

**ALASKA OR EARLIEST OF ALL.**—A green seeded extra early, vine 30 to 36 inches tall. Distinct light green foliage, pods 2 to 2½ inches long, containing 5 to 6 blue-green, small, slightly pitted to smooth seeds. One of the best extra early Peas in the market, and a great favorite with canners, because a good stock of this variety matures all its pods at once. Sold out.

**McLEAN'S ADVANCERS.**—A green, wrinkled variety. Height of vine about 40 to 45 inches. Upright, very vigorous in growth, and very popular with market gardeners and commercial canners. Pods about 2½ inches long, containing 5 to 6 good flavored Peas. Sold out.

**HORSFORDS MARKET GARDEN.**—Height of vine about 40 to 50 inches. Pods medium size, about 2½ inches long, containing 6 to 7 dark green Peas. Small leaves with very dark green foliage. Very large producer of showy pods, producing pairs in great abundance. Sold out.

**PERFECTION.**—A green, wrinkled variety. Height of vine about 40 to 45 inches, grows erect and is a strong grower. Very popular with market gardeners and commercial canners. Pods about 2½ inches long, containing 5 to 6 good flavored Peas. Sold out.

**SURPRISE.**—One of the earliest of the wrinkled sorts. Vines over two feet tall and producing an enormous crop of uniform small seeds. Sold out.

**ADMIRAL, GREEN SEED**—Color of dry seed is deep green. Especially desirable for canners, as it retains its green color under all conditions. **9 cents** per pound.



Landreths' Cashaw Pumpkin

## Pumpkin

**Two Quarts to the Acre. Hills Eight by Eight Feet**

The time for planting this seed varies from the first Corn-planting until probably a month subsequently. Later than that a successful crop cannot be expected, as this plant requires a long season of growth. When grown with Corn, every fourth hill of every fourth row may be planted in Pumpkin seed. During the working of the Corn the Pumpkin plants will stand unharmed, and after the Corn culture ceases the Pumpkin vines will extend over the field, covering it entirely if the soil be rich.

**LANDRETHS' CHEESE.**—An excellent canning variety. Shape flat like a cheese box. Outside color orange, no stripes, a fine keeper. Often 15 inches across the top and 6 to 7 inches thick, top and bottom indented. We can say without hesitancy there is no stock in the market equal to the Cheese Pumpkin we are offering. Don't confuse this stock with Kentucky Field offered by many houses as Cheese. Price **75 cents** per pound.

**YELLOW CASHAW.**—Our stock of this cannot be excelled by any. It is a mammoth Pumpkin, frequently weighing 40 to 50 pounds with a very large full meaty curved neck, the flesh of which is fine for Pies. Outside color very rich orange yellow. No stripes of any kind. Crookneck often bends back so as to touch the bowl. Price **75 cents** per pound.

**KENTUCKY FIELD.**—This Pumpkin is so well known as a Canning Pumpkin, it is hardly necessary describing. The fruit vary in size and shape, some being flat like cheese, others like Watermelon. The color is light golden cream. Price **35 cents** per pound.

**CONNECTICUT OR COMMON FIELD.**—A large red, slightly oval fruit. Very productive. Used for canning. Price **35 cents** per pound.



Boston Marrow

## Squash

**BOSTON MARROW.**—A meaty or thick rind, very productive Squash, suitable to produce tons for the factory. Fruit keeps many weeks after the vines have been killed by frost. Color of skin bright orange shading to lighter color of flesh, deep orange. A fine Squash for pies and Winter use. Price 40 cents per pound.

## Spinach

Thirty Pounds to the Acre

This seed may be sown in Autumn or in the Spring when the Peach is in bloom. When it can be grown it is always acceptable. It may be sown in drills at 1, 2 or 3 feet, or broadcast, which is the usual system. If sown in drills, 6 ounces of seed will sow 100 yards of row, or a square equal to 10 x 10 yards if sown broadcast.

**NEW LONG STANDING BLOOMSDALE.**—Ten days longer in table condition than the main crop "Bloomsdale." This selection possesses all the good qualities of the famous Bloomsdale—the habit of remaining in shipping condition after Bloomsdale is shot

to Seed, which marks it as a very valuable type. It is almost blight proof. Try it and be convinced that it has unusual merit. Price 15 cents per pound.

**BLOOMSDALE RESELECTED.**—The Landreths introduced and named this variety in 1828, since when it has become a standard and now appears in nearly all catalogues. As an Autumn sort it is superior to all others, but in the Spring it is inclined to shoot early. The leaves are twisted and bloated, giving them when ready for shipment an elasticity adapting them for transportation to long distances, and at the same time giving the crop large measuring qualities. As a consequence, far more barrels of Bloomsdale Spinach are cut to the acre than any other variety—often as much as 150 barrels. The illustration partly indicates the twisted and bloated character of the leaves. Price 15 cents per pound.

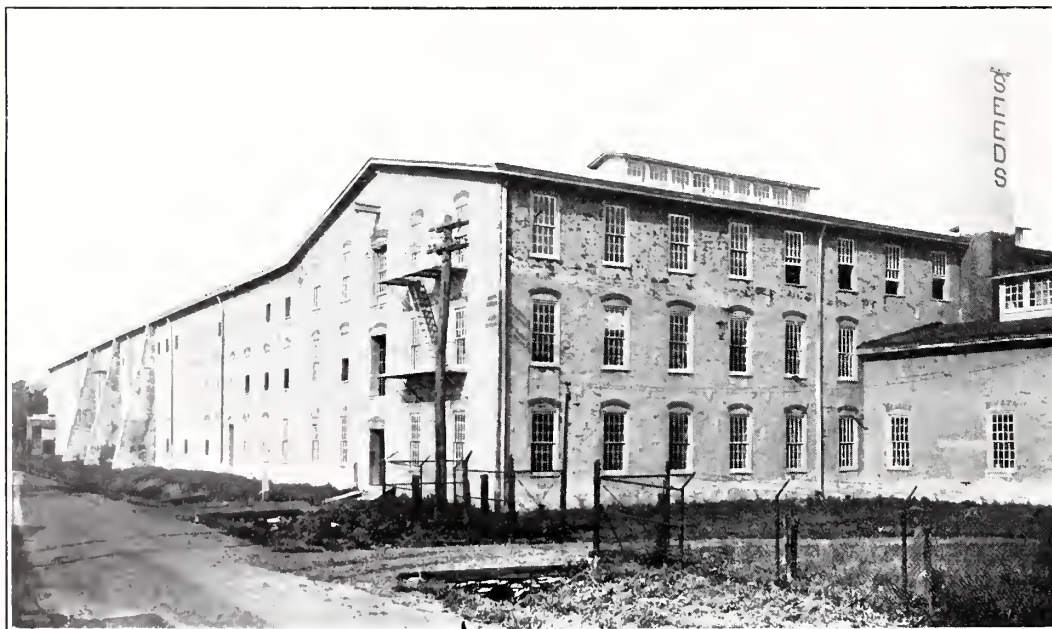


Bloomsdale Reselected Spinach—Blue Bag Spinach

**LONG STANDING PRICKLY SEEDED**—Produces a large, vigorous, long standing plant; dark green, thick leaves, habit a little later than the savoy types. Seed has pricks or spines. By some called Prickly Winter. Price 15 cents per pound.

**EVER READY.**—So named because it continues in cutting condition three weeks longer than the latest. A variety of most superior qualities; leaves dark in color, more pointed, short-jointed, resisting cold and the most intense heat. Decidedly the best for spring sowing. Price 15 cents per pound.

**LONG STANDING ROUND SEED.**—A prostrate variety of thick leaves and dark color. Slow to shoot to seed and valuable for that reason. Price 15 cents per pound.



LANDRETHS' SEED WAREHOUSE, BRISTOL, PENNA.  
Over 300,000 square feet of floor space